

Number Pardoned¹
All Classes, Courts at Which Tried
1726-1775²

	Slaves				Free	White Servants				Free Whites		Total
	Negro		Mulatto		Mulatto	Convict		Non-Convict		Men	Women	
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Man	Men	Women	Men	Women			
1726 - June 1737 ²												
Provincial Court												0
Assizes										3	1	4
Oyer and Terminer												0
Court not identified												0
Totals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	4
July 1737 - June 1773												
Provincial Court	1					4				6	1	12
Assizes	11		3		1	6	1	1		10	4	37
Oyer and Terminer	5					6		1		11	2	25
County Courts	51	6	1									58
Court not identified	5	1	1					2		2		11
Totals	73	7	5	0	1	16	1	4	0	29	7	143
July 1773 - 1775 ³												
Provincial Court										1		1
Assizes												0
Oyer and Terminer												0
County Court	16	2				5		1		10	1	35
Court not identified												0
Totals	16	2	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	11	1	36
Grand Totals	89	9	5	0	1	21	1	5	0	43	9	183

¹ Chart includes only those people who were pardoned after being actually sentenced to death

² Does not include first ten months of 1726

³ Includes one male convict servant and one male Negro slave condemned before July 1773, pardoned in July

Rationale for division by dates: in 1737 the assembly gave the county courts the power to try slaves for capital crimes (1737, c. 7, *Md. Arch.*, XL, 93), and in 1773 it gave them the power to try whites for capital crimes. 1773, first session, c. 1, *Md. Arch.*, LXIII, 391-393.